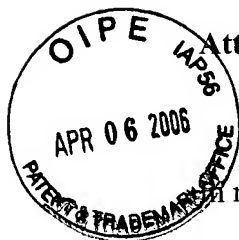


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Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2005, for the above-identified application:

- [x] Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111
- [x] Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time
- [x] Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- [x] PTO/SB/08
- [x] Copies of ninety-four (94) foreign and non-patent references
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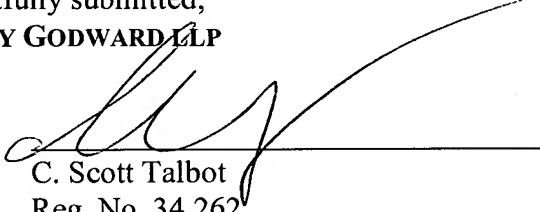
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

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